

GEORGETOWN TO GIVE 400 TITLES

Commencement Week Exercises Open at University This Morning.

DEGREE FOR GEN. GORGAS

Burlesque Parade of Graduates and Alumni Will Be Held Tomorrow.

The honorary degree of doctor of laws will be conferred on Surg. Gen. William Crawford Gorgas, U. S. A., by Georgetown University at the annual graduation exercises to be held Tuesday afternoon. This is in recognition of the great work Gen. Gorgas has accomplished as an expert in sanitation in the Panama Canal Zone. Cassimere Desaulles, A. B. '08, the second oldest member of the alumni, who was recently appointed Senator by the Governor General of Canada, and Eugene S. Ives, A. B. '08, A. M. '08, Ph. D. '08, will be honored with the same degree. The degrees of doctor of philosophy, in course, will be granted to Nelson Hume and Martin Conroy, LL. B. '08, LL. M. '09. Degrees in course will also be given to over 400 graduates in the several departments, according to an announcement made by the faculty last evening.

Committee Is Appointed.
The plans for the graduation exercises have been completed. At a recent meeting of the general committee of the alumni on the exercises for graduation week, the following special committee was appointed to take charge of the procession of graduates on commencement day: Hugh J. Fegan, law, chairman; Dr. E. J. Boe, dental; Dr. Charles Griffith, medical; and Francis McQuade, S. J., college. The committee will look after the order of exercises on Tuesday and provide for the comfort of the graduates during the conferring of degrees. It will be assisted by the marshals from the four graduating classes.

Commencement Week Exercises.
Commencement week exercises will open this morning, when the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered in Holy Trinity Church by Rev. H. Augustin Gaynor, S. J., at 11 o'clock. This evening at 7:30 o'clock the president and faculty of the university receive the graduates and their friends in the parlors of the Hirst Library on the college grounds. Following the reception there will be a concert in the quadrangle, where a section of the Marine Band will render college songs and choruses.

Burlesque Parade.
Tomorrow afternoon the burlesque parade of the graduates and alumni will be held about the walks of the college grounds. Following this parade there will be a farce baseball game between the members of the alumni, in which many Georgetown's old stars will take part.

Tomorrow night the alumni will tender a smoker to the seniors, following which a formal dance will be given the graduates by the faculty in Ryan Gymnasium. The committee on the dance, headed by Barry Mohr, announces that tickets and information concerning this affair may be secured either from him or John Conroy, Jr., at the college building.

Tuesday afternoon will be given over to the formal exercises of conferring degrees and awarding diplomas when Henry S. Boutell, formerly minister to the Netherlands, will deliver his address to the graduates.

Special notice has been given to the members of the Georgetown University Alumni that the last opportunity for voting in the elections for the new board of regents, which are now being held, will be tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock, when the polls will be closed.

PAPAL DELEGATE WILL AWARD DIPLOMAS

John Bonzana to Officiate at Gonzaga College Commencement.

His excellency John Bonzana, papal delegate, will preside and confer the degree, diploma and prize at the sixtieth annual commencement of Gonzaga College and High School on Wednesday at 8 p. m. The members of the alumni association will assemble in the lower hall at 7:30 p. m. for the annual election of officers. The present incumbents are Bennett S. Jones, '02, president; Leo A. Rover, '03, vice president; Charles L. Ferry, secretary; and Clarence F. Donohue, treasurer. Refreshments will be served to the alumni in the lower hall.

At the commencement exercises, the valedictorian will be Joseph Eugene Gallery, '15, who will speak on "Religion and True Citizenship." The master's oration will be delivered by Leo A. Rover, '03. Rev. Alphonsus J. Donlon, S. J., president of Georgetown University, will give the address to the graduates.

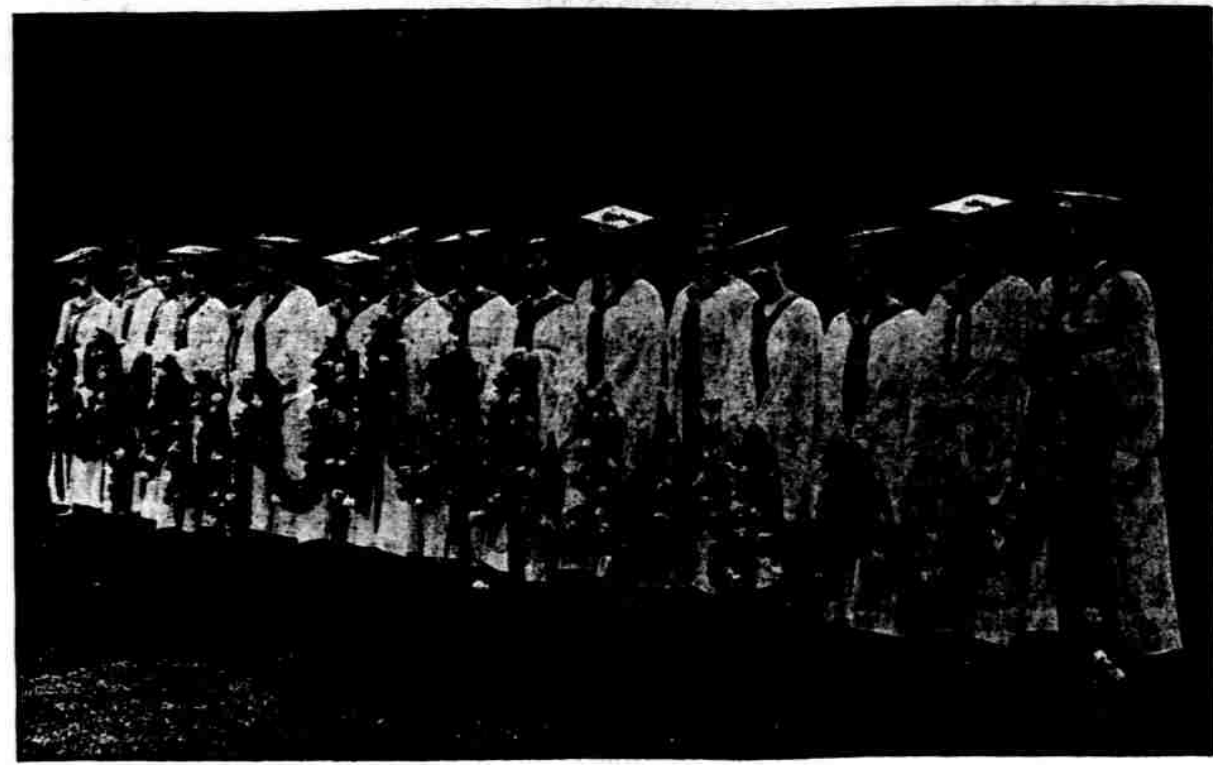
Students to Attend Mass.
According to a time-honored custom, observed in all Jesuit colleges as a fitting close of the scholastic year, all the Catholic students will attend mass and receive holy communion on Tuesday morning. After the benediction of the most blessed sacrament, breakfast will be served to the whole student body and faculty. This will be followed by speeches from the presidents of the classes, with the usual mingling of college and class songs and cheers.

The high school faculty of Gonzaga College will offer a free four-years' scholarship to any graduate of the eighth grade in the District who receives the highest average in arithmetic, English, grammar, geography and United States history, at a competitive examination to be held in the college on Saturday at 9 a. m.

Joseph Eugene Gallery, the valedictorian at the commencement exercises, has had the rare distinction of winning the highest honors in all his classes in succession from the very lowest grade of the Gonzaga Parochial School. He was honorably mentioned as a close second, both in the annual public election contest, and was the president of the Phoenix Debating Society during the spring term of the current year.

Will Receive First Prize.
Thomas Emmet Fyne, the first speaker on the commencement program, also is an honor man and a distinguished product of the Gonzaga Parochial School and of the Gonzaga College High School. He will receive the first prize for excellence in elocution, won at the annual public contest, held on May 13.

MEMBERS OF CLASS '15, of Fairmont Seminary, standing in receiving line for the annual garden party given at the home of Principal and Mrs. Arthur Ramsay. Smaller picture represents Miss Eleanor James, whose sculptures have been accepted by the Panama Pacific Exposition.



YOUNG ARTISTS GRADUATED WITH PROGRAM AT BELASCO

Seventeen Washington College of Music Students Play and Sing Admirably, Giving Numbers from Memory—Reception Closes Festivities—School to Remain Open.

The Washington College of Music held its eighth annual commencement Friday afternoon in the Belasco Theater, every seat in the house being occupied and much of the standing room. S. M. Fabian, president of the college and head of the piano department, presided. The stage was an effective picture, with its deep border of pink and white flowers, and its tall background of palms and ferns. The faculty seated around the left side.

Rev. Bernard Braskamp, assistant pastor of the Church of the Covenant, opened the entertainment with an invocation, and at the close pronounced the benediction.

Names of Graduates.
The graduating class and their diplomas and certificates, presented by President Fabian, were as follows: Post-graduate diploma—Marcia Lettie Merrill, piano; Kathryn Margaret Bouck, piano.

Artist's diploma—Florence Evan Reynolds, piano; Elizabeth Custer Morrell, piano; Mary Margaret Thompson, voice; Emily Sophronia Bradley, piano; Gertrude Emmeline Becker, piano; George Harmon Emmans, piano; Cecile Carter, voice; Alma Martha Thomas, voice.

Senior graduate diploma—Jessie Batts Lea, piano.

Vocal certificate—Willard Salem Haynie, voice.

Seldom has an array of pupils acquitted themselves more creditably than those who appeared on the program yesterday. Each one performed the numbers from memory and there were no slips. The college is especially strong in its piano department, there being many more piano students than those studying other branches and they were a surprisingly large number of good players.

Program.
Miss Reynolds played the first movement of the C minor concerto of Beethoven. Miss Bouck played Liszt's Sixth Rhapsody. Mrs. Carter was unable to appear. Mr. Emmans played Liszt's Liebestraum No. 3. Miss Perkins, the third movement of the Chopin concerto in F minor. Mr. Haynie sang "Where'er You Walk," by Handel, "Invictus," by Hahn, and "Don Juan's Serenade," by Tschakowsky, and shared a pleasing tenor voice. Miss Lea played Chopin Fantasia, Opus 49; Miss Bradley, the second movement of the G major concerto in E minor; Miss Thomas sang "Oh, Had I Jubal's Lyre," by Handel; "Wir Wandeln," by Brahms, and Sena's ballad from the "Flying Dutchman," with a sweet, clear, true voice. Miss Marks played the first movement of the Mendelssohn concerto in G minor. Miss Merrill followed with the same movement, and Miss Morrell immediately afterwards with the third movement, all displaying good tone and ample technique. Miss Thompson sang "Sing, Smile, Slumber," by Gounod, "Elsa's Song to the Breeze," from Lohengrin, and "Bird of Blue," by German.

Miss Latus played the Rigoletto Paraphrase; Miss Becker played the second movement of the Schuetz concerto in G minor; Walter Sorrell sang "Celeste Aida"; Mr. Thompson played "La Campanella," by Paganini-Liszt, with beautiful technique; Miss Gladding played the third movement of the Saint-Saens concerto in G minor admirably, and the piece directed by Edgar Paul, closed the program with the "Barcarolle," from the "Tales of Hoffmann," by Offenbach; "Hymn to the Madonna," by Kremer-Spicer, and "Land-sighting," by Grieg.

The chorus was assisted by Miss Harper, a member of the faculty. Frank Norris Jones, vice president of the college and a member of the piano faculty, played delightfully all the second parts to concertos and all the accompaniments except one. President Fabian announced that the summer term would continue through this month and the month of July and the college would open again September 15 in the same place, 1124 Connecticut avenue.

The commencement festivities closed with a reception last evening to the graduating class at Raycher's. The class, headed by the class president, Miss Merrill; the secretary, Miss Perkins, and the treasurer, Miss Thomas, stood at the head of the receiving line, the guests being presented by President Fabian and W. W. Delano, secretary and treasurer. Dancing followed, Phillips' Orchestra playing throughout the evening.

FAIR SEMINARY GIRLS LEAVING WASHINGTON

For the first time since last fall, Washington is without the hundreds of school girls who attend the many seminaries in the National Capital.

One of the pleasantest events of the Washington commencement season was the unusually attractive garden party of Fairmont Seminary, one of the leading girls' schools of established reputation.

Scholarship and artistic attainment, standing demands of Fairmont, were represented to an unusual degree in the student body this year. The Fairmont decoration for high scholarship, awarded only four times in the history of the school, was bestowed on a Washington girl, Miss Mildred DeHart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. DeHart.

Washington officialdom was recognized in the award of the year's honors for high scholarship to Miss Wallace Henry, Texas, Tex., niece of Representative Robert L. Henry.

Miss Alice Lake, an undergraduate of Memphis, was chosen as the Tennessee maid of honor at the Confederate reunion in Richmond.

A notable honor which came to Fairmont itself, through one of its most popular students, was the discovery of the acceptance by the Panama-Pacific Exposition some pieces of sculpture modeled by Miss Eleanor James, of Reno, Nev., who has spent two years at Fairmont. Miss James submitted them for exhibit without letting her name be known.

The class consisted of the following members: Elizabeth Rankin Taylor, Frankfort, Ky.; Mildred De Hart, Washington, D. C.; Caroline Louise Sayers, Waynesburg, Pa.; Margaret Vienne Smith, Okolona, Miss.; Lucy Maude Carpenter, Washington, D. C.; Mary Katrina Carter, Oxford, Miss.; Christine Conner, Augusta, Ark.; Lilla Mae Irwin, Birmingham, Ala.; Louise Theobald Jayne, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Edith Youdale Lee, Memphis, Tenn.; Johnnie Porter, Little Rock, Ark.; Gertrude Schmidt, Indianapolis, Ind.; Frances Tatam, Miami, Fla.; Inez Thomas, Dallas, Tex.; Jessica Elizabeth Wood, Indianapolis, Ind.; Susan Elizabeth Williams, Purcell, Okla.; Maude Capps White, Fort Worth, Tex.; and Vivian Charlotte Dimond, Providence, R. I.

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SCHOLARS MAY BRUSH TEETH UNDER EYES OF INSTRUCTORS IN SCHOOLS OF WASHINGTON

"Dental Days" Now Being Used in the Classrooms of Many Large Cities—Dental Inspector and Voluntary Clinic Report Upon Work Done During Year—Civic Bodies Will Ask Congress to Establish Free Clinics. Dr. Spiegelblat Will Talk on Toothbrush Dangers.

Annual Report of Dental Inspection and Public Clinic

Pupils examined.....	14,123
Cavities found.....	46,048
Permanent teeth missing.....	1,248
Months needing regulation.....	5,116
Teeth needing extraction.....	8,154
Pupils with cavities.....	12,185
Abcesses.....	682
Teeth needing cleaning.....	9,076
Voluntary clinic:	
Visits from pupils.....	1,460
Pupils treated.....	414
Cavities filled.....	1,800
Teeth extracted.....	1,165
Months cleaned.....	260
Abcesses treated.....	85
Tooth paste tubes distributed.....	2,000

"Attention! Ready—dip." "Left side—one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten. Dip. Right side—one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten. Dip. What is it all about? You shall hear. No, it is not a lesson in modern dancing. Neither is it a game of juvenile triviality. The sounds are sounds that probably next year will echo through the classrooms of Washington public schools. The motions are motions that probably every school child will go through. No, neither dance nor play—merely the regular toothbrush drill.

Cities Adopt "Dental Day."
It is a new idea—the toothbrush drill. New York and other cities have adopted the idea. "Dental days" are set apart for the toothbrush drill. Each pupil is given a brush, a tube of tooth paste, an individual paper cup, a pitcher and a basin. The children stand in the aisles beside their desks. Teacher stands at the front of the room with a tooth brush in her hand.

"Attention!" she shouts. Each pupil stiffens his muscles, holding his toothbrush firmly in right hand. "Ready!" warns the teacher. Each right hand advances with its tooth brush. "Dip," commands teacher. Teacher and each of the pupils dip their brushes in the cup of water. Then commences the counting. At each number the pupils take a stroke—something like rowing, you know. They watch teacher and they listen to her. They make their stroke the way she makes hers. They dip the way she dips.

Society Endorses Idea.
Such in brief is the nature of the toothbrush drill. Other cities have it. Washington should have it. This is the way many look at the proposition. The National Capital Dental Society has endorsed the drill. It will urge the Board of Education to sanction such drills next year. The association believes that toothbrush drills are as essential as wash drills and dumb bell drills. They would require but little time.

The society suggests that pupils be requested to bring their own tooth brushes to the schools for drills. In case any children should not be able to procure brushes, the association feels it will be able to supply them itself. This would not put the school authorities to any unnecessary expense.

It has appointed a special committee to assume charge of the drill work. These committee members will render their services gratuitously. Their aim will be to visit each school at least twice a year and give brief talks to the children about the care of their teeth. Following these talks, toothbrush drills will be held. The teachers will be instructed to hold more frequent drills, following the methods suggested by the committee.

Conducts Free Clinics.
The society has been conducting a free dental clinic in the public schools since November 16, 1914. Efforts of

the organization to get Congress to appropriate for the establishment of such a clinic proved futile and the society decided to start one itself and demonstrate the practicability of such a project.

Since the clinic was opened, 414 boys and girls have been treated. Exactly 1,460 visits have been made to the clinic; 1,800 cavities have been filled; 1,165 teeth have been extracted, and 2,000 tubes of tooth paste have been given away.

The annual report of Dr. W. C. Killinger, District dental inspector for the white public schools, shows that 14,123 pupils were examined, that 46,048 cavities were discovered, that 1,248 permanent teeth were found missing, that 5,116 months needed regulating, that 8,154 teeth needed extraction, that 682 abcesses were discovered, and that the teeth of 9,076 children sadly needed cleaning.

Operated Voluntarily.
Under the present dental inspection, it is possible merely to notify parents of the condition of the teeth of their children and recommend that attention be given them immediately. The parents of many children are too poor to pay for having their children's teeth treated. It is such cases as these that the dental clinic takes care of.

The clinic is operated voluntarily by members of the dental association. The committee in charge of the dispensary is composed of Dr. M. M. Dolmage, chairman; Dr. W. C. Killinger, Dr. Mark Bullitt, Dr. A. S. Davidson, and Dr. J. W. Hollingsworth.

Dentists who have contributed their services to the clinic are: Drs. C. W. Cuthbertson, W. C. Killinger, M. M. Dolmage, Dr. Mark Bullitt, Dr. A. S. Davidson, and Dr. J. W. Hollingsworth.

A specially strengthened wheel, carrying a four-inch pneumatic tire, has been invented for aeroplanes, as many ordinary wheels are destroyed on landing.

Dolmage, C. C. Smith, C. H. Howland, M. C. Bullitt, S. M. Angelo, G. Angelo, W. G. Richardson, S. E. Cole, W. L. Hogan, J. W. Hollingsworth, F. J. Rogers, C. L. Anderson, A. Bryant, R. M. Bain, W. H. Barnard, H. Bingham, E. J. Britton, M. Brodsky, C. W. Camalleri, F. Cary, W. D. Daly, A. Davidson, W. J. Davis, G. Fowler, R. C. Foster, S. O. Groser, J. P. Devlin, M. M. Michaelis, N. Moyer, W. L. Munger, R. C. Nicodemus, S. Parsons, H. E. Perle, H. R. Perry, D. F. Pyle, W. B. Stillman, Leo W. Soback, L. Brodsky, C. R. Shelton, and W. E. Francis.

Many civic organizations have recognized the need of establishing dental clinics in the schools and have adopted resolutions favoring the project. Among these organizations are the Federation of Citizens' associations, the Northeast Washington Citizens' Association, the Southeast Washington Citizens' Association, the West End Citizens' Association, and the Eckington and North Capitol Citizens' Association.

Petition to Go to Congress.
The resolutions adopted by these organizations is as follows:

"Resolved, That Congress respectfully be petitioned to enact a law establishing a free dental clinic in the public schools of the District. "We appreciate the work so far accomplished by the National Capital Dental Society in establishing the free dental clinic which recently was opened and which has demonstrated its necessity and practicability. "We do not feel that the expense of such an institution, now being operated and supported by a few public spirited dentists at personal sacrifice of time and money, should be allowed or should be necessary in this great capital of the nation, in view of the fact that many other cities throughout the Union have had for a number of years past well-equipped dental clinics for the efficient care of the teeth of the children of the public schools, supported and controlled by their municipal governments."

The dangers of the toothbrush will be explained by Dr. Jacques Spiegelblat in an illustrated lecture on "Oral Hygiene" at the Collegiate Club, Eleventh and P streets northwest to-night. Dr. Spiegelblat will exhibit several models of teeth and demonstrate the disadvantages of using a brush upon them. The lecture, under auspices of the club, will be followed by a social hour.

Entrance Tests Begin Tomorrow.
Examinations of the college entrance examination board of the District will be held in the assembly hall of the Arts and Sciences Building of George Washington University, 203 G street northwest, commencing tomorrow and continuing until next Saturday afternoon. The examinations will be conducted under the supervision of Dr. William Carl Ruediger, dean of the Teachers' College of the university.

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